

4 Questions Regarding Impartiality: Asbestos

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(1) Do you know of any reason that you might be unable to provide impartial advice on the matter to come before the panel/committee/subcommittee or any reason that your impartiality in the matter might be questioned?	No
(2) Have you had any previous involvement with the review document(s) under consideration including authorship, collaboration with the authors, or previous peer review functions? If so, please identify and describe that involvement.	I contributed to the TSCA risk assessment for asbestos as a contract consultant to the EPA.
(3) Have you served on previous advisory panels, committees or subcommittees that have addressed the topic under consideration? If so, please identify those activities.	No
(4) Have you made any public statements (written or oral) on the issue that would indicate to an observer that you have taken a position on the issue under consideration? If so, please identify those statements.	I have authored approximately 10 scientific papers and a WHO technical report on asbestos. As a member of staff of the International Agency Research on Cancer (IARC) of the World Health Organization (WHO), I presented IARC's evaluation of asbestos carcinogenicity to stakeholders in Jakarta, Indonesia (2014) and Manila, Philippines (2013). I represented WHO as an observer at the Conference of the Parties (2015 and 2017) to the Rotterdam Convention when chrysotile asbestos was considered for listing.